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(57) **ABSTRACT**

A roof batten for use in spacing tiles or similar exterior  
 roofing members from a roof overlayment is provided. In  
 one embodiment, the batten includes at least one layer of a  
 corrugated plastic material with a pair of generally planar  
 plies and a convoluted ply cooperating with the planar plies  
 to define a multiplicity of passages. The passages allow  
 drainage of water infiltrating the tiles and further promote  
 drying.

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